

**From:** WWPEARL@aol.com@inetgw  
**To:** Microsoft ATR  
**Date:** 1/28/02 5:32pm  
**Subject:** Microsoft Settlement

Renata B. Hesse  
Antitrust Division  
US Dept. of Justice (Legal)

The settlement is more then generous. I do not, and did not agree with the government action. It is not the justice departments job to aid and abet competitors who cannot make it on their own.

As an example, I cannot buy a Chrysler auto frame, and a General Motors Body and a Ford Transmission, yet that is what you have asked Microsoft to do with it's software. To force a company to design product so that others made add on to it is nut justice. It maybe legal, but not justice. Were we the public to start to buy all Fords, would you take action against Ford to force them to redesign there product so that Chrysler can put its motor in? I think not.

ACCEPT THE SETTLEMENT AND GET OUT OF THE CASE NOW.

**CC:** fin@mobilizationoffice.com@inetgw